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SUBJ: SCHEDULING OF CENTO MINISTERIAL MEETING

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1. WE HAVE BEEN TOLD INFORMALLY BY CENTO SECRETARIAT THAT UK IS SEEKING TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS SO THAT CENTO MINISTERIAL MEETING CAN BE HELD AS ORIGINALLY PROPOSED, I.E., STEERING COMMITTEE TO MEET MAY 25 AND MINISTERS TO MEET MAY 26-27. ALTHOUGH QUEEN'S VISIT TO FINLAND IS STILL PLANNED FOR THAT PERIOD, WE WERE INFORMED THAT FONMIN CALLAGHAN APPEARS TO HAVE AGREED TO STAY IN LONDON IF BY SO DOING HE WILL MAKE IT POSSIBLE FOR THE OTHER MINISTERS TO AGREE ON THE DATE. CENTO SECRETARIAT UNDERSTANDS THAT TURKEY WOULD HAVE NO PROBLEMS WITH MAY 25-27 DATES AND BELIEVES PAKISTAN AND IRAN PROBABLY WOULD AGREE.

2. PENDING CONFIRMATION OF THIS PROPOSAL BY UK, WE HOPE SECRETARY'S SCHEDULE FOR MAY 25-27 CAN BE KEPT OPEN.
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